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SUMMARY STATEMENT BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON MATTERS OF WHICH THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS SEIZED AND ON THE STAGE REACHED IN THEIR CONSIDERATION

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/1997/40 of 10 January 1997, S/1997/40/Add.10 of 21 March 1997, S/1997/40/Add.20 of 30 May 1997, S/1997/40/Add.21 of 6 June 1997, S/1997/40/Add.28 of 25 July 1997, S/1997/40/Add.29 of 1 August 1997, S/1997/40/Add.31 of 15 August 1997, S/1997/40/Add.32 of 22 August 1997, S/1997/40/Add.38 of 3 October 1997 and S/1997/40/Add.41 of 24 October 1997.

During the week ending 8 November 1997, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in the Central African Republic (see S/1997/40/Add.31)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3829th meeting, held on 6 November 1997 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the letter dated 27 October 1997 from the Permanent Representative of Gabon to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1997/821) and the letter dated 4 November 1997 from the Permanent Representative of the Central African Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/1997/840).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of the Central African Republic, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution (S/1997/849) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/1997/849, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1136 (1997) (for the text, see S/RES/1136 (1997); to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-second Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1997).

The situation in Georgia (see S/23370/Add.40; S/25070/Add.4, 26, 27, 31, 34, 37, 42, 44, 45 and 51; S/1994/20/Add.4, 8, 9, 11, 13, 25, 28 and 47; S/1995/40/Add.1, 10, 18 and 32; S/1996/15/Add.1, 16, 27 and 42; and S/1997/40/Add.4, 18 and 30)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 3830th meeting, held on 6 November 1997 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General concerning the situation in Abkhazia, Georgia (S/1997/827).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Georgia and Germany, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/1997/50; to be issued in Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-second Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1997).